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THE RIGHT OF SUFFRAGE.

There are some points brought out in the discussions in the Massachusetts papers on the pending question of extending to women municipal suffrage, which are of interest as affecting similar questions of rights and expediency in the Hawaiian Islands. At the November election in Massachusetts all present male voters and as many women as are now entitled to vote on the election of school committees by previous legislation sixteen years ago are now asked by balloting "yes" or "no" to answer the question: "Is it expedient that municipal suffrage be granted to women?"

An active canvass has been in progress, meetings held and sermons are preached urging all to vote the affirmative of this question. It has been submitted to popular vote, previous to legislation, much on the same principle as the Swiss referendum submits finally to popular vote the ratification of legislation proposed. The demand is based on the idea of the perfect equality of man and woman in all the rights and duties of life. It is put forth as the logical last step in the advances toward such equality made in these recent years in technical industries, the learned professions, the higher education.

Self-ownership and self-direction is the goal towards which all these efforts point. Man goes limping along while he might be striding forward. The superior authority claimed for the male sex is as disastrous to the one who exercises it as to the one who submits to it. The manly man is he who wants woman at his side as counsellor, helper, and guide, with her finer instincts, stronger attachments, upward look. Woman's suffrage is coming as sure as day follows night.

Then comes the statelier Eden back to men;
Then reign the world's great brides,
chaste and calm;
Then springs the crowning race of human kind.

But on the other hand some of the foremost citizens have united sending out a circular letter to Massachusetts' voters, advising against this extension of the present right of suffrage. The United States Supreme Court has rendered a decision, endorsed by all sound, logical, judicious thinkers, that no man, nor any woman either, has a natural, inherent title as such to the exercise of the right of suffrage. The preamble to the constitution of Massachusetts embodies this statement: "The whole people covenants with each citizen, and each citizen with the whole people, that all shall be governed by certain laws for the common good." That expresses the distinction between the people and the citizens, which obtains in the Republic of Hawaii as well in the State of Massachusetts. The incapacity of women for all the duties of citizenship is a fact of nature, not a condition created by legislation. It is illogical, unnatural, inexpedient, that the power which makes the laws should be vested in a body different from that which has the power to enforce the laws. Equality of opportunity does not mean identity of function. The offices which women fulfil in the organism of the State are different from those of men, while, at the same time, they are indispensable in their normal conditions and relations. There is evident disadvantage in merely doubling the number of votes without increasing thereby proportionally the power of the State. Such an extension of the suffrage would not promote the welfare of women nor the well-being of society. It would be inimical to the highest development of that family life which is the

basis of the growth and prosperity of the State. The present division of duties and privileges between the sexes is founded on reason and on natural conditions. Quality, not quantity, is the pressing need. A higher standard of patriotism is the duty of the hour for both men and women, that shall put forward the common good and not the individual advancement, as the goal of united desire, effort and attainment.

CONVERSION MEANS WORK.

George M. Hepworth, one of the "Sunday editorial" writers of the New York Herald says of the converted man: "To be converted is simply to be turned toward God, and the converted man is one who deliberately comes to the conclusion that it is better to obey God's laws than to break them. With that definition the word has a peculiar significance. Whether orthodox or heterodox, we all admit that the mental struggle which ends in the conviction that faith in and submission to a superintending Providence will produce higher results than uncontrolled selfishness is a struggle which every man who lives ought to make. There is no room for difference of opinion on this subject, provided we look at it in a broad generous way. My impression is that the Church has done the world a great injury by introducing into that experience a mysticism which drains from it all philosophy and common sense. There is no magic in the new birth, but there is glory, peace, happiness and final victory. It is discouraging to a man to be told that everything will go well with him after his conversion, for that cannot be true until the laws of the universe are repealed, and if you deceive him on that point his last condition may be worse than his first. It is safest to tell the truth always."

Unfortunately for the many divisions of the Protestant church and the cause of Christianity many people have been brought into the fold while under the influence of an outburst of religious enthusiasm, and believing that the trials and sorrows of life are to be no more after once having taken the first step. After reverting to the humdrum of daily routine, they find life to be much the same after all, and occasionally decide that religion does not fill the aching void as they had anticipated. They place the blame at the door of religion, when as a matter of fact the fault is in the manner in which they started out. To the thoroughly converted man, "Life is real, life is earnest," as never before. He has more to combat with because he has placed his standards of life higher. His natural tendency is to return to his former easy-going way on finding that he cannot depend upon the vagaries of momentary enthusiasm. It is absolutely necessary for a man to decide at some juncture whether he will sacrifice for the right or live a selfish life. If the latter, he plays on a harp with broken strings; if the former, he is a warrior with mailed armor, but still a warrior. The fight is before him, and he must do himself credit in the battle. Do not persuade him that he has nothing to do, for he has everything to do; but he will do it with a new spirit and a new courage.

Of the World.

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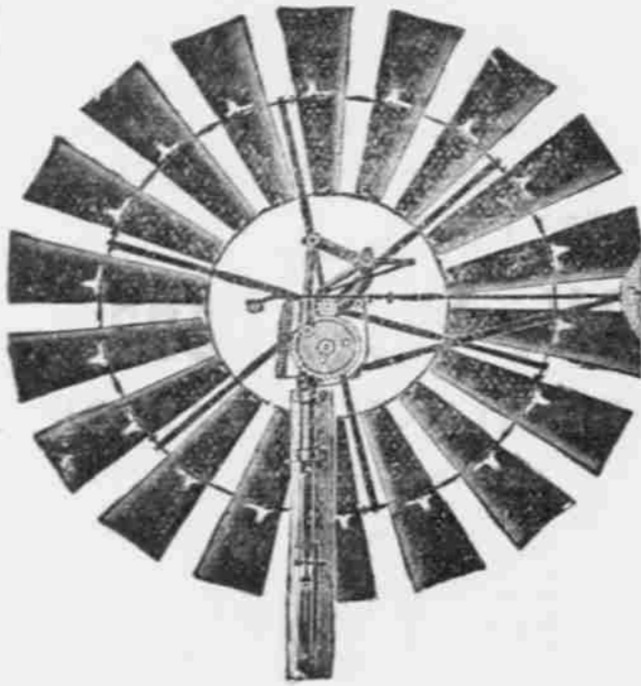
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Imitations.

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We also hereby warn all persons against buying, selling or using any article under the name of PEERLESS PRESERVING PAINT except that sold by us as such buying, selling or using will be a direct infringement of our Patent and Trade Mark, and a violation of our rights, subjecting the persons buying, selling or using such paint to a claim for damages by us in accordance with the Hawaiian Law.

Honolulu, October 19, 1895.

L. C. ABLES.

H. P. WALTON.

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